AN ORDINANCE

BY COUNCIL MEMBER FELICIA A. MOORE

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA ADOPTED UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF THE AUTHORITY OF THE MUNICIPAL HOME RULE ACT OF 1965 (GA. LAWS 1965, P. 298, ET SEQ.) AS AMENDED, TO AMEND SECTION 3-401, CHAPTER 4, BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS, ARTICLE 3, OF THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA, GEORGIA, (GA. LAWS, 1996, P. 4469, ET. SEQ.) APPROVED APRIL 15, 1996, AS AMENDED, SO AS TO REQUIRE (1) ALL CITY OF ATLANTA BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS TO KEEP ATTENDANCE RECORDS OF MEETINGS AND (2) THE APPOINTING AUTHORITY TO ATTACH TO THE APPOINTMENT COMMUNICATION A COPY OF ATTENDANCE RECORD OF THE INDIVIDUAL BEING RE-APPOINTED TO ANY BOARD OR COMMISSION; TO REPEAL CONFLICTING ORDINANCES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, the Atlanta City Council has created various boards and commissions for public purposes and for the security of the well being, community relations, peace, health, and good government of the City; and

WHEREAS, these boards and commissions perform duties prescribed by Acts of General Assembly or the City Council, including, but not limited to, preparing studies, performing research, conducting investigations, holding hearings, and making recommendations; and

WHEREAS, the regular attendance of meetings by board or commission members to perform their duties is crucial to the orderly and efficient conduct of the city business such as zoning, business licensing, and demolition matters.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE AND IT IS HEREBY ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA, GEORGIA, as follows:

- **SECTION 1.** That two new Subsections (k) and (l) are added to Section 3-401, Chapter 4, BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS, Article 3, of the Charter of the City of Atlanta, Georgia, to read:
- "(k) All boards and commissions shall keep an attendance record of every meeting for each member.
- (l) The appointing authority shall attach a summary of attendance for the period of time served to the appointment communication when reappointing any individual to the board or commission."

SECTION 2. That a copy of this proposed amendment to the Charter of the City of Atlanta shall be filed in the Office of the Municipal Clerk of the City of Atlanta and in Offices of the Clerks of the Superior Courts of Fulton and DeKalb counties, Georgia, and that a "Notice of Proposed Amendment to the Charter of the City of Atlanta", attached hereto, marked "Exhibit A" and made a part of this ordinance, be published once a week for three weeks in newspaper of general circulation in the City of Atlanta and in the official organ of Fulton County, and that a copy of said advertisement be attached to this ordinance prior to its final adoption by the Atlanta City Council and provided that such final adoption shall only take place during week immediately succeeding the week in which the last advertisement was published.

SECTION 3. That all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby rescinded.

NOTICE OF PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA

NOTICE is hereby given that an Ordinance has been introduced to amend the Charter of the City of Atlanta (Ga. Laws, 1996, p 4469, et. seq.), as amended, and Ordinance be captioned as follows:

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A copy of the proposed Ordinance and Charter amendment is on file in the Office of the Municipal Clerk of the City of Atlanta and in Offices of the Clerks of the Superior Courts of Fulton and DeKalb counties, Georgia for the purpose of examination and inspection by the public.

This day of	, 2001.
	Municipal Clerk

EXHIBIT "A"

BEING RE-APPOINTED TO ANY BOARD OR ORDINANCES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES COMMISSION; TO REPEAL CONFLICTING ATTENDANCE RECORD OF THE INDIVIDUAL APPOINTMENT COMMUNICATION A COPY OF APPOINTING AUTHORITY TO ATTACH TO THE RECORDS OF MEETINGS AND (2) THE AND COMMISSIONS TO KEEP ATTENDANCE APRIL 15, 1996, AS AMENDED, SO AS TO OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA, GEORGIA, (GA. COMMISSIONS, ARTICLE 3, OF THE CHARTER 3-401, CHAPTER 4, BOARDS AND ET SEQ.) AS AMENDED, TO AMEND SECTION RULE ACT OF 1965 (GA. LAWS 1965, P. 298, AUTHORITY OF THE MUNICIPAL HOME UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF THE OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA ADOPTED COUNCIL MEMBER FELICIA A. MOORE REQUIRE (1) ALL CITY OF ATLANTA BOARDS LAWS, 1996, P. 4469, ET. SEG.) APPROVED AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE CHARTER AN ORDINANCE BY Referred To: Date Referred Referred To: Date Referred Referred To: Date Referred PERSONAL PAPER REFER REGULAR REPORT REFER CONSENT REFER ADVERTISE & REFER 1/st ADOPT 2nd READ & REFER Do Not Write Above This Line 01-0-08857 Bunch Fav, Adv, Hold (see rev. side) Fav, Adv, Hold (see rev. side) Committee Chair Referred to Committee Committee Members Members Refer To Refer To Other: Action: Other: Action: Chair Chair Date Date First Reading Fav, Adv, Hold (see rev. side) Fav, Adv, Hold (see rev. side) Committee Committee Members Members Refer To Action: Refer To Action: Other: Other: Chair Chair Date Date □2nd □Consent FINAL COUNCIL ACTION MAYOR'S ACTION □1st & 2nd □V Vote □RC Vote CERTIFIED Readings \Box 3rd